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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, dated October 21, 2005, issued in connection with the above-identified Application, which is now due for response on November 21, 2005, Applicants herein submit a corrected version of the claim amendments, to replace the amendment previously filed.